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For Immediate Release

Alexis Creek Evacuation Order Extended to West Fraser Road

Alexis Creek, B.C. – The Cariboo Regional District (CRD) has extended the Alexis Creek evacuation order to the following areas:

North of Highway 20 between Alexis Creek and the Fraser River, West of the Fraser River to the Junction of West Fraser Road and Roddie Road (West side of Fraser River at Kersley), and directly west 55 km to a point 90 km directly north of Alexis Creek.

The earlier Evacuation Order affecting the area along Highway 20 from 2.5 km west of Alexis Creek to 1 km east of Raven Lake Road, remains in effect.

Evacuees are encouraged to register at the Emergency Social Services Reception Centre at Williams Lake Secondary School Carson Campus in Williams Lake.

Evacuees can also register at the Emergency Social Service Reception Centre at the College of New Caledonia in Prince George.

Residents are reminded to register for the Cariboo Chilcotin Emergency Notification System by visiting the Cariboo Regional District at cariboord.ca. For up to date fire information, please follow the Cariboo Fire Centre on Facebook at www.facebook.com/BCForestFireInfo or call 1-888-336-7378. For more information regarding evacuations, please visit the CRD's website at cariboord.ca, or follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/CRDEmergencyOperations or on Twitter @CaribooRD.

Media: Please note that updates will be provided as information arises.